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SC PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION

RE: Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc. for an Adjustment of Rates and Charges
and Modification of Certain Terms and Conditions for the Provision of Water and
Sewer Service
Docket No.: 2004-357-W/S

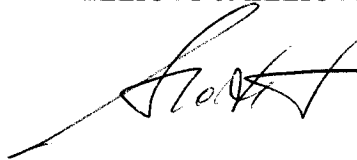
Dear Mr. Ternei:

Enclosed please find for filing an original and ten (10) copies of the Petition to Intervene of the Midlands Utility, Inc. in the above-captioned matter. By copy of this letter, I am serving all parties of record.

I have enclosed an extra copy of this petition which I would ask you to date stamp and return to me by my courier. If you have questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely Yours,

ELLIOTT & ELLIOTT, P.A.

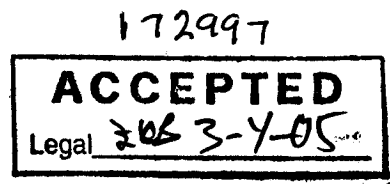


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Enclosures

c: All parties of record (w/Encl.)



BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2004-357-W/S

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc.)
for an Adjustment of Rates and Charges)
and Modification of Certain Terms and)
Conditions for the Provision of Water)
and Sewer Service)
_____)

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Midlands Utility, Inc. (Midlands) hereby petitions the South Carolina Public Service Commission (Commission) pursuant Rule R. 103-836 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, to intervene as a party of record in the above-referenced Docket. In support of this Petition, Midlands states the following:

1. On December 22, 2004, Carolina Water Service, Inc. (Applicant) filed an Application with the Commission seeking a new schedule of rates and charges for water and sewer service for its customers in South Carolina.
2. The Commission has assigned Docket No. 2004-357-W/S to this matter.
3. Midlands is a privately held South Carolina corporation organized for the purposes providing sewer treatment and sewer collection only services to certain customers in Lexington, Richland, Orangeburg and Fairfield Counties.

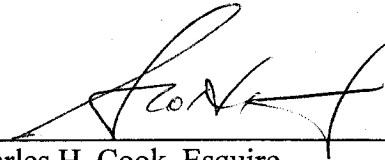
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10. In accordance with Rule R. 103-804 (s) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, Midlands is represented by counsel in this proceeding:

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WHEREFORE, Midlands prays for the following relief:

- a. That this Petition to Intervene be accepted and that Midlands be made a party of record;
- b. That Midlands be allowed to participate fully in this proceeding and take such positions as it deems advisable; and
- c. For such other and further relief as is just and proper.



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Columbia, South Carolina
March 3, 2005

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned employee of Elliott & Elliott, P.A. does hereby certify that (s)he has served below listed parties with a copy of the pleading(s) indicated below by mailing a copy of same to them in the United States mail, by regular mail, with sufficient postage affixed thereto and return address clearly marked on the date indicated below:

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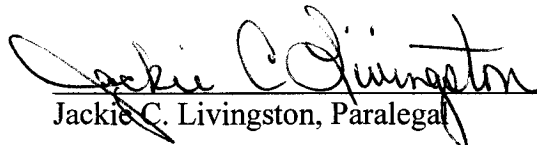
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